**Bidding Worksheet – Overcalls**

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**Spades Hearts Diamonds Clubs**

***The hands below are set up with suits in the above sequence.***

Your opponent has opened **1 club**. What would you bid with these hands?

Overcalls at the l level Advancer’s response? 7-11 points, 3+ card fit, raise partner’s suit

5 cards and 7+ points 12+ points, cuebid opponent’s suit

1. QJxx AQxxx xx xx \_\_\_\_\_\_ Advancer’s response? 1. Axx Jxx Kxxx xxx \_\_\_\_\_\_
2. AKxxx xxx Qxx xx \_\_\_\_\_\_ Advancer’s response? 2. QJxx Qx Axx xxxx \_\_\_\_\_\_
3. AKxxx Qx Kxx Qxx\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. Jxx Kxx xxxx xxxx \_\_\_\_\_\_

1. KJxx Kxxx KJxxx \_\_\_\_\_\_ 4. AQxx AQxx Qx xxx \_\_\_\_\_\_

Your opponent has opened **1 club.**  What would you bid with these hands?

Overcalls at the 2 level **with a jump**

6 cards in suit - 2 of top 3 or 3 of top 5

6-9 points

1. KQxxxx xxx Kx xx \_\_\_\_\_\_

1. xx AQxxxx Kxx xx \_\_\_\_\_\_
2. xxx Jx QJ10xxx xx \_\_\_\_\_\_

Your opponent has opened **1 spade.** What would you bid with these hands?

Overcalls at the 2 level – **no jump** Advancer’s response? Partner has shown opening values.

5+ card suit and at least opening values Add your points and describe your hand.

1. xx KQxxx KQxx Ax \_\_\_\_\_\_ Advancer’s response? 8. Axx Jxxx Axx KJx \_\_\_\_\_\_
2. xx AQJxx Kxx Kxx \_\_\_\_\_\_ 9. xxx Kxx Axxx QJx \_\_\_\_\_\_
3. xxx xx AQxxx AKx \_\_\_\_\_\_ 10. xxx Qxx Jxx Qxxx \_\_\_\_\_\_

Your opponent has opened **1 spade.** What would you bid with these hands?

 Take-out doubles Advancer’s response? 0-8 points – bid best suit at lowest level Opening strength 9-11 points – bid best suit, **jump a level**

 3+ cards in all unbid suits 12+ points – **cuebid** opponent’s suit

 Shortness in opponent’s suit

1. x AQJx Kxxx Kxxx \_\_\_\_\_\_ Advancer’s response 11. xxx Kxxxx xxxx x \_\_\_\_\_\_

if no intervening bid

1. x AQJx Kxxx Kxx \_\_\_\_\_\_ 12. xx Kxxx Axxx QJx \_\_\_\_\_\_
2. x AQJx Kxxx Kxx \_\_\_\_\_\_ 13. Axx Kxxx Axxx Qxx \_\_\_\_\_\_